



EPA Continues to Investigate R-22a; Enforcements Begin

PHCC continues to work with the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) on the agency's ongoing investigation on propane manufacturers and sellers, home improvement contractors and air conditioning technicians regarding the dangers posed by R-22a. Information on the [EPA's website stresses](#) that R-22a (an alternate refrigerant currently on the market) is NOT

Although EPA does not comment on ongoing investigations, EPA has issued an [enforcement letter](#) to a manufacturer of the company accuses the company of violating the Clean Air Act and more specifically, provisions of the "Significant New Alternatives Rule." The health, safety and comfort of the nation compels our continued involvement in this issue and again warns members that dangers have become prevalent as a result of the [phase-out of R-22](#).

PHCC continues to work with EPA on this issue and requests that if any members have experienced or is aware of a specific danger, contact the EPA attorney assigned to the issue:

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